



**DIVIDED ON TRANSFER:** The four members of Berrien Intermediate School board who gave a tie, 2 to 2 vote on Sodus area petition to transfer from Benton Harbor to Eau Claire district are seen as they rendered a "no decision" vote. From left, Adrian VanGinhoven and Lawrence Peachey voted

against transfer, while Chairman Ralph Lehman and Donald Dick favored it. Existence of Blue Ribbon committee studying Benton Harbor problems was only reason cited for denial. Fifth board member, Vance Ferguson, resident of Sodus area, disqualified himself. (Staff photo)

## Sodus School Transfer Denied By Tie Vote, 2-2

By JERRY KRIEGER  
County-Farm Editor

**BERRIEN SPRINGS** — By a tie, 2 to 2 vote, the Berrien Intermediate School board Friday afternoon denied a petition of residents of the Sodus township portion of Benton Harbor school district to transfer to Eau Claire.

The existence of the Intermediate board's Blue Ribbon committee to study the pressing problems of the Benton Harbor district was the only reason cited in the motion to deny the transfer.

The Sodus area petitioners will have until May 31 to file an appeal with the State Board of Education, if they wish. Mrs. Victor Fellner, chairman of the group, indicated an appeal would be made to the state board.

Actually, the tie vote of the Intermediate board resulted in no formal action being taken on the petition. The motion was to "deny" the request and the motion failed to carry. Board Chairman Ralph Lehman noted this effect and added

that a motion worded to "approve" the request would have met the same tie result.

Voting to deny transfer were Board Members Adrian VanGinhoven and Lawrence Peachey.

Chairman Lehman and Donald Dick both prefaced their votes favoring transfer with comments that they did not want their votes to be considered in any way to detract from their support for the Blue Ribbon committee's work.

Board Treasurer Vance Ferguson, who lives in the Sodus area involved, had disqualified himself to vote earlier because of a possible conflict of interest.

In response to questions from the press, Peachey, a principal in the Benton Harbor school system, said he did not disqualify himself because he said he was elected to serve on the board and that he therefore "felt obligated to act in a manner dictated by my best judgment."

He said he voted his personal conviction and that he did not

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## Dissident GM Stockholders Short Of Goal

By GENE SCHROEDER

**DETROIT (AP)**—Stockholders challenging General Motors policies here and abroad fell short of their goal of support from holders of three per cent of the automaker's shares.

But they said Friday they will renew their efforts next year.

Because the challengers got less than three per cent of the vote, Securities and Exchange Commission rules allow management to keep the dissidents' proposals of proxy statements for the next three years.

Spokesmen for Campaign GM, a Washington-based organization holding 12 shares of stock, said they were disappointed in the results, adding that the outcome called for a reassessment of next year's approach.

### LESS SUPPORT

Their proposals received less support this time than last year when they introduced two formal suggestions in their first GM proxy battle.

Among the proposals was Campaign GM's effort to broad-

en the method of electing the corporation's board of directors and to gain disclosure of more information on the firm's policies on auto safety, air pollution and minority hiring.

The group also supported a proposal seeking to end GM operations in the Republic of South Africa. The proposal was sponsored by the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States.

The South African proposal, aimed at that country's policy of apartheid, was supported in an impassioned appeal by the Rev. Dr. Leon Sullivan, first black member of GM's board of directors. It received only 2.97 million of the 229 million votes cast on the question.

Retiring Board Chairman James Roche, presiding over his last stockholders' meeting, declined to characterize the outcome as a victory for management.

### NOT VICTORIES

"I don't think we look at these things as victories," Roche told newsmen later.

"We're not opponents, we're all stockholders of the corporation. We debated the proposals, I hope, in a constructive, sensible manner...Whether we win or lose, whether it's a victory or a loss, I wouldn't want to characterize it in either respect."

The vote followed nearly seven hours of debate in the longest stockholder meeting in GM history.

One of the most controversial remarks was made by Roche in responding to a stockholder (See back page, sec. 1, col. 6)



**MOTT ATTENDS GM MEETING:** Charles S. Mott, director and one of the largest shareholders in General Motors, talks with Sylvia La Rocque, Flint, Michigan shareholder, during GM's annual meeting in Detroit Friday. (AP Wirephoto)

## Democrats Level 'Politics' Charge At Milliken Tax Plan

**LANSING, Mich. (AP)** — Democratic leaders criticized Gov. William Milliken's proposed new tax package as unrealistic Friday, accusing him of playing politics and passing the buck to the legislature.

Milliken, in a revised tax program for 1971-72, asked lawmakers to hike the current 2.6 per cent personal income tax to 3.9 per cent next Jan. 1, then drop it to 3.6 per cent the following July. The 3.6 per cent rate is the rate the governor previously proposed.

The higher increase, together with corresponding hikes for corporate and financial institutions' tax rates, would bring in an estimated \$162.7 million for the five months it would be effective.

Milliken acknowledged at a news conference that the additional money would not pay all the state's bills unless the legislature adopted his proposed "hold the line" tack with spending, for 1971-72.

### MAKE CHALLENGE

"I challenge the legislature to have the guts to say 'no,'"

## 'Fluke Shot' Hits Bunker, Kills 30

### Rocket Hits GI Dugout Used As Club

Enemy Action  
Along DMZ  
Increases

**SAIGON (AP)** — North Vietnamese gunners unleashed new rocket barrages against U.S. bases along the demilitarized zone tonight after three earlier attacks in the northern quarter that killed 30 Americans and wounded another 50.

Most of the casualties were inflicted by a lone 100-pound rocket that bored through a heavily fortified bunker crowded with GIs in what field officers called, "a fluke shot, one in a million."

The missile that took a heavy toll of lives ripped through a protective cover over a bunker being used as a club at a base called Charlie 2, four miles south of the demilitarized zone, at supersonic speed. It was one of 15 rockets fired into Charlie 2.

Carrying a delayed fuse, it exploded in the midst of soldiers drinking beer and soda in the club bunker and others from a nearby mess hall who had taken cover in the bunker because it was the nearest protection.

In the new barrage, 14 rounds of the 122mm rockets slammed into Charlie 2, Associated Press correspondent J. T. Wolkstorfer reported from the field. The attack came at about the same hour as Friday's.

About the same time, 23 rounds of shells hit another U.S. base called Alpha 4 to the north of Charlie 2.

### NO CASUALTIES

Wolkstorfer said that so far there were no reports of casualties or damage in the two new attacks.

U.S. artillery thundered across the DMZ returning the fire at suspected enemy launching sites from an area called "Rocket Ridge" in the southern half of the DMZ and just to the south of the buffer zone which divides the two Vietnams.

It was the fourth straight night that U.S. bases along the DMZ were shelled.

Recalling Friday's devastating attack, Pfc. Steve Newton, 20, Hawesville, Ky., said he was standing in line to eat when he heard two rockets come in.

"I was standing by the door when the rocket came through the roof of the bunker. I saw blinding light and heard a ringing sensation," Newton said.

The force of the blast tossed him out the door. He was shaken but unhurt.

### LUCKY SHOT

One U.S. officer called the rocket hit a "one in a million shot."

The U.S. death toll Friday was the highest for a single day in nearly two months and exceeded American battlefield fatalities for all of last week when the U.S. Command said 24 Americans were killed.

Up to 15 Soviet-made 122mm rockets hit Charlie 2 as many of the men were eating. After the (See back page, sec. 1, col. 5)



**DEAD POLICEMEN AND SUSPECT:** New York City Patrolmen Waverly Jones, 34, left, and Joseph Piagentini, 28, center, were shot from ambush and killed Friday night in the third armed attack on New York policemen in three days. Police released the sketch at right of a man they are seeking in connection with the crime. The suspect is described as dark-skinned, in his early twenties, six feet, one inch and thinly built with an Afro hairdo. (AP Wirephoto)

### 3rd Attack In 3 Days

## Two N.Y. Patrolmen Slain From Ambush

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Two patrolmen were shot from ambush and killed Friday night in the third armed attack on city policemen in three days.

Two officers were wounded Wednesday night by automatic gunfire from an erratically driven car, and two others escaped injury Thursday night after being confronted by a man whose .38 caliber weapon misfired.

The head of the policemen's union, Edward J. Kiernan, said after the Friday attack that officers should buy shotguns, carry them in patrol cars and shoot to kill if the need for arms arose.

Police Commissioner Patrick V. Murphy said the two slain patrolmen, Waverly Jones and Joseph Piagentini, were "gunned down from behind" as they left a Harlem apartment building after calling on a sick person.

### ORGANIZED ATTEMPT

"This was an organized attempt," Murphy said, "deliberate, unprovoked and maniacal. No citizen in New York is safe while these madmen are loose."

The shootings occurred less than three hours after packets containing license plates with a number linked to the Wednesday shooting were delivered to a Harlem radio station, WLBB, and to The New York Times.

In addition to a license plate, each packet contained a .45 caliber cartridge and a note saying in part: "The armed goons of this racist government will again meet the guns of the oppressed Third World peoples."

One patrolman slain Friday was black, the other white. The

two patrolmen wounded Wednesday were white, and the two attacked Thursday were white. The man charged with attempted murder in the Thursday night attack is black.

### OFFICERS GUNNED

Police said that after the killings felled the patrolmen Friday night, they used the men's service revolvers to fire additional shots into the officers.

Murphy noted that policemen are permitted to carry only certain types of firearms and renewed his appeal for tougher gun control legislation.

The deaths of Jones, 34, and Piagentini, 28, both five-year men on the force, brought to seven the number of policemen

killed in the line of duty this year. In all of 1970, seven were killed. Jones had three children and Piagentini two.

Mayor John V. Lindsay said he was "at a loss for words to describe my grief and outrage at the shooting down of these two fine policemen. All New Yorkers are shocked at this tragedy."

A Housing Authority policeman stood in the vicinity of the shooting scene sobbing: "I don't know why they did it. They did it for nothing."

### PRaise COMRADE

At the West 135th Street station where the dead officers (See back page, sec. 1, col. 8)

## Two Minutes Of 'X' Movie Gets Scissors

Berrien county prosecuting attorney Ronald J. Taylor said Friday the manager of a Benton Harbor area drive-in theater has agreed to delete some portions of an X-rated movie currently being shown.

Taylor said that his office had received numerous complaints of obscenity against "Kama Sutra" running at the Starlite Drive-In on M-139, Benton township.

Sheriff Forrest (Nick) Jewell said the theater operator has agreed to delete about two minutes of the film, which was found objectionable after a viewing by Jewell and Prosecutor Taylor.

Jewell said he and Taylor felt that under current court interpretations the entire film could not be removed.

The movie, a loose adaptation of an Oriental love text, has been running at the drive-in for more than a week. However, Taylor indicated that his office had only received complaints about it in the last few days.

"In this case, the management has recognized its responsibility and is doing everything possible to restrict admission and delete objectionable portions," Taylor said.

Taylor indicated that most complaints said groups of young people were viewing the movie from outside the theater and that "no one had complained the theater was not enforcing the age restriction." According to the rating system, X movies may not be viewed by those under 18 years of age.

## Arrest 50 In Kent Disturbance

**KENT, Ohio (AP)**—Twenty persons were arrested early today as students massed on Main Street and marched toward the Kent State University campus, blocking traffic.

It was the fourth straight night of disturbances here.

There had been little activity Friday night in the city's tavern area, scene of student gatherings the three previous nights. Police patrolling the area had told students to keep moving and not to loiter.

Youths began to filter onto Main Street after midnight, and some 300 to 400 soon blocked traffic on the street. They then began moving toward the campus five blocks away.

Some 60 riot-equipped police started moving toward the students from the campus and the students broke ranks and ran.

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# THE HERALD-PRESS

## Editorial Page

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### First Breakthrough On Arms Debate

The news from Washington seldom gives the reader any cause for cheer.

Crises in all shapes and sizes have a way of appearing daily.

Once in a while, however, the sun shows up along the Potomac.

A joint announcement Thursday by the Kremlin and the White House that the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks, SALT for short, will get under way again is one of those exceptional breaks in the cloud bank.

The statement, deliberately couched in fuzzy terms, says that SALT will discuss offensive and defensive weapons in the nuclear range.

Heretofore, the Russians have insisted on confining SALT to defensive weapons and for 17 months the Soviet and American bargainers have shuffled between Helsinki and Vienna in a

statement between offense vs. defense.

The Nixon Administration has contended right along it is fruitless to arbitrate anything less than the complete weaponry package.

The current phase in SALT started March 15 at Vienna and is scheduled to close next Friday.

The immediate step is to set a time and hearing forum for the next session.

The more important move is to agree on the agenda's scope.

The Russians hint they understand the Thursday announcement to mean defensive weapons will be argued out first, followed by offensive arms discussion.

The White House says the commitment calls for taking up both types simultaneously.

Even if the two powers have only consented to try to agree and the current understanding can be interpreted out of the way, the jointly released statement is a pointer of sorts that the Kremlin can utter more than "nyet" (no) if it sees a reason for so doing.

The Senate's smashing defeat of five proposals on Wednesday to cut the U.S. NATO garrison in half by December 31st undoubtedly lent a push to the Kremlin.

The possibility of the ice separating Red China and the U.S. thawing somewhat seems to be a likely factor in Soviet thinking.

A resumption of trade between ourselves and the Chinese may also influence the pattern of future SALT meetings. The Russians' previous insistence on confining SALT to defensive weapons as a prerequisite to mulling over offensive arms unquestionably has their southerly neighbor uppermost in mind.

But however devious the motive for it, the Kremlin's limited concession is welcome news.

### Stretching The Day

Executives who can't crowd all their work into a 12-hour day (yes, there are still a few around) have been given just the ticket by a New Jersey management specialist, a 13-hour clock.

The idea is to emphasize better time budgeting, but the clock, which is not for sale, has intriguing possibilities.

"What conscientious executive," asked the inventor, "would turn down the opportunity to get more work done each day?" That is one way of looking at it, but the clever executive might have other ideas.

Squeezing a 13-hour schedule into 12 hours just might leave an extra hour each day for a prolonged lunch, a few extra holes on the golf course, or simply a free hour every day to sit back with feet propped on the desk and contemplate that clock.

### Going For Flowers In A Big Way

There is nothing quite like a well-manicured English garden, and there is nothing like the May 25-26 Chelsea Flower Show. It is one of those special occasions when top flowers enjoy a spectacular display of people. Silk-hatted dukes can be seen doddering through the 3-1/2 acre grounds placing orders for Nemophila. Ladies sporting floppy hats resembling drooping anemones in an herbaceous border can be seen exchanging significant looks and whispering in hushed voices about the unusual height of the Sweet Williams this year.

The flowers at this show make nature look positively acrylic. As Philip Howard wrote in the Times, "The flowers actually live up to the pictures in the seed catalogue." Last year Lord Snowdon made it all the more unreal by designing a "romantic Gothic aviary" and posing in romantic Gothic clothes next to his floral bird cage.

Tradition still plays a role in this floral extravaganza, which started in 1913. The fellows of the Royal Horticultural Society, who are treated to their own private showing, examine the flowers as if they were surgeons conducting a postmortem. Some of the little old ladies in the flower hats become so agitated at the sight of these eminences that they flutter about manicuring their displays with nail scissors.

Horticulture is more than a

hobby with the visitors to the Chelsea Show. It is a way of life. Today at least half the families in Britain have some plot of land to cultivate and there are probably as many as 20 million spare-time gardeners. In villages such as Grantchester, in Cambridgeshire, what counts is not the dollar crisis or the war in Viet Nam but the fact that the tulips are a bit sulky this spring.

Every county, town and parish has an allotment of land reserved for those who wish to garden. These plots began in the Middle Ages as a measure to relieve poverty. By the 19th Century many allotments began to serve a recreational purpose. Lilacs perfume many plots which used to be filled with vegetables.

Such is the popularity of flowers that most newspapers carry columns on gardening throughout the year. To help the readers enhance their enjoyment, listings are made of gardens open to the public. Writing in the Sunday Times, Lanning Roper suggested that there's lots more to be absorbed in other people's gardens than just the plants. For example, "there is a lurking satisfaction of finding a few flaws in the gardens, the overlooked patch of nettles, the visible onslaught of the first greenfly on the early tulips, a dead limb or suckers on the roses."

Gardening also has become a big business. Over \$100 million in cut flowers and pot plants were sold in Britain last year. Ever since the War of the Roses, that flower has been the symbol of England. Over 40 million rose trees were sold in 1970. The seriousness with which the English regard the rose bush has become celebrated. At the annual Rose Trials in St. Albans, more than 250 new varieties are judged as if in a beauty pageant.

Even in the dead of winter the British are still at it, reading the hundreds of books published each year. These range from treatises on the tuberous Begonia to the newly published comprehensive Dictionary of Garden Plants. And there is always the Who's Who in Horticulture and Gardening, whose 30,000 entries now take up three whole volumes.

### 'He Followed Me Home, Ma!'



### GLANCING BACKWARDS

**BERRIEN GAINS ONLY 7.7 PCT.**

—1 Year Ago—

The population of Berrien county increased only 11,535 persons — a gain of 7.7 percent — during the last decade, according to preliminary figures announced today by District Manager George H. Lennon, Jr., of the Bureau of the Census, St. Joseph.

The preliminary figure for Berrien county was listed at 161,400, compared to the 1960 count of 149,865. The report also indicated that the three biggest cities in the county — Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Niles — all lost residents over the 10-year period.

**PARK STREET SPAN CLOSED**

—10 Years Ago—

The Park street bridge was closed to traffic at 10 a.m. today and will not be passable until sometime Friday, it was

announced by the Public Works department.

Repairs will be made to the bridge and to the structure's road bed. The only entrance to the lower beach area is now by driving down the State street hill.

**FIRST BERRIES ON MARKET**

—30 Years Ago—

The first strawberries offered on the twin city fruit market this year appeared at 1:30 p.m. today, when Henry Hudson of Nickerson avenue, Benton township, drove onto the market with five crates of Premiers.

Clyde Heinlen, veteran buyer, bought all five crates at \$2 per crate. Heinlen in turn, sold the berries to the Griesse Pie company of Benton Harbor and the California Fruit Shop of St. Joseph.

**TO MOVE**

—10 Years Ago—

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Radde and

baby daughter will move on June first from an apartment at 1316 Forres avenue to a house at 710 First avenue.

**TO SPEAK**

—50 Years Ago—

Dr. C. S. Wheeler will be the main speaker at the Memorial day program in this city. The big parade will line up in parade formation at Memorial hall on Lake boulevard.

**BUYS HOME**

—60 Years Ago—

H. E. L. Doggett of Chicago has bought the Richard Crawford home on Lake Shore drive and is opening the house for the summer.

**TICKETS ON SALE**

—80 Years Ago—

On June 13, the Vandalia company will sell round trip tickets to South Bend, including a ticket of admission to Forepaugh's circus for \$1.90

### EDITOR'S MAILBAG

Editor,  
The Herald-Press:

**SPEAKS OUT AGAINST GENOCIDE TREATY**

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** This is a letter to President Nixon which was also sent to this newspaper.

I am writing in regard to the Genocide Treaty and our present no-win policies as often described by your critics.

I am a naturalized American citizen. I came from West Germany 18 years ago having escaped from East Germany where I had to work for the Russian military. I was born in Poland and evacuated to Germany via the Hitler-Stalin pact. My parents lost their property twice to communism.

I lived in constant fear of losing my parents or being tortured. It all started in 1939 when Russian soldiers threatened to kill our family because our dog barked at them when they took possession of our farm. And so it went on through the Hitler years—no freedom, fear day and night, work and devotion to the government with only more work and an empty stomach in return.

Then I came to America where everyone may think, work, worship and transact business freely. I love this country but, for some reason, its freedom is overshadowed. The constitution and the Bill of Rights are not being defended. Other so-called revisions seem to govern us instead. Can't we learn from history? Is the grass so much greener on the other side of the fence? What is so appealing about Soviet Russia and Peking? Why must we adopt a Godless social system? Do we all have to live first under tyranny before we know the difference? May Almighty God help America if we fall under a barbarian and totalitarian type of government. Our faith and morale will be destroyed.

I beg you, Mr. President, to see that all those who obviously hate our constitutional republic leave this country on a one-way ticket and oppose the Genocide Treaty, please. If I interpret the text of the Genocide Convention Treaty correctly, this is what it would mean:

If ratified by the United States Senate, this treaty would take away from every American the protection of his life and liberty now provided by the United States Constitution. Our Constitution would be superseded by this treaty as the

supreme law of the land. The crime of genocide, as defined in the treaty, could be construed as consisting of almost anything any individual or group might do or say which supposedly caused physical or mental harm to members of any so-called "minority group." The Black Panthers, for instance, have already been charging police officers who arrest them with genocide.

Under this treaty, the United Nations, not the United States, would then have the power to decide whether any such trial was to be conducted by some American tribunal if approved by the U. N., or by some "international penal tribunal" as designated by the U. N. Is this how far our government has now gone in its efforts to surrender American sovereignty, American interests, and eventually even the safety of American lives to a communist-dominated, one-world, super government called the United Nations.

I understand, Mr. President, that you are giving the Genocide treaty your support along with some of its leading proponents such as Senator Javits, Senator Fulbright and the Communist Party. I hope and pray that the Almighty God will grant you all the wisdom and strength to help you live up to your oath as leader of this country.

KARL FRISKE  
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Bet you are happy to know that your taxes at least some of your taxes, go to such worthy causes, yes?

However, for those of you whom it does not make happy, I would suggest you find out more about how to stop this wasteful spending of our tax money, with the Liberty Amendment, Section 1, of the Liberty Amendment says:

"The Government of the United States shall not engage in any business, professional, commercial, financial or industrial enterprise except as specified in the Constitution." This would save the government the worries of financing a "fishing school" and enable our government to apply the extra \$20,000, saved, on our 400 BILLION DOLLAR NATIONAL DEBT, which at the rate of 3 percent interest per year, cost the taxpayers 9 Billion dollars.

Or, if the taxpayers prefer, and care to do nothing, we can let the government, with our taxes, finance "fishing schools" and what ever else, all over. Thomas Jefferson once said — "If we can prevent the government from wasting the labors of the people under the pretense of taking care of them, they must become happy."

For more information on the Liberty Amendment, write The Liberty Amendment Committee, 6413 Franklin Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. 90028.

This Amendment is pending in the Michigan House, as H.C.R. 87 introduced April 1, 1971.

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**WILLIAM RITT**

**You're Telling Me!**

Russian scientists are experimenting with an attempt to make new Arctic towns warmer by painting building walls white to reflect heat. Sounds risky—igloos are white and they're ice houses.

On May 22, 1830, the first train (Baltimore & Ohio) began operating in the U.S.

On May 22, 1819, the first American steamer, the Savannah, to cross the Atlantic Ocean sailed from a U.S. port.

### DR. COLEMAN

### ..And Speaking Of Your Health

Leukemia in children may soon be controlled and even cured.

Dr. James F. Holland of the Roswell Park Memorial Institute and Dr. Emil J. Freireich of the Anderson Hospital in Houston believe that intensive treatment with a group of points the way to the eventual control of this dread disease.

There is even speculation that if research goes on unhampered by lack of funds the answer may well come with in the next decade.

Teams of physicians in major hospitals and medical schools are making remarkable inroads into the mystery that is leukemia.

Because leukemia is actually a group of diseases rather than a single one, every bit of information uncovered adds to the stockpile that will eventually save the lives of children and adults.

The progress may seem painfully slow, but is not discouraging, these research workers who are devoting their lives to a cure.

In commenting on the new studies, Dr. Sidney Farber,



head of the Children's Cancer Research Foundation in Boston, said: "When the cure comes and by the way things are going it won't be a long way off, we'll have a real celebration."

A rare bone disease known as osteogenesis imperfecta has, up to now, resisted scientific knowledge.

This disease, an imperfect bone formation, is an inherited condition. Two dominant features of the condition are brittleness of the bones and excessive sweating.

Dr. Clive Solomon of the University of Colorado Medical Center and a group of colleagues reduced the number of fractures of such patients by giving them tablets of magnesium oxide.

At first glance, you may wonder why I report this rare disease in the *Hopeful News* column. I do so to give my readers some idea of the vast horizons of scientific study that engage the concentrated efforts of so many scientists.

Dr. Lester Coleman has a special eye-care booklet available for readers of this column called, "What You Should Know About Glaucoma and Cataracts." For your copy, send 25 cents in coin and a large self-addressed stamped envelope to Lester L. Coleman, M.D., in care of this newspaper. Please mention the booklet by title.

### JAY BECKER

### Contract Bridge

South dealer.  
Neither side vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ Q98765  
♥ KQ  
♦ 104  
♣ Q72

**WEST**  
♠ J1043  
♥ 86  
♦ A Q J 5 2  
♣ 65

**EAST**  
♠ A K 2  
♥ J 10 9 7 4 2  
♦ 8 3  
♣ 10 9

**SOUTH**  
♠ A 5 3  
♥ K 9 7 6  
♦ A K J 8 4 3

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass  
2 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ Pass  
2 NT Pass 3 NT Pass  
Pass Dble

Opening lead — three of spades.

The opening lead plays a vital role in many hands. Here is an extraordinary case from a rubber bridge game.

West was Alvin Roth, New York expert. His double of three notrump was bold as well as imaginative, but it would have failed dismally had he chosen the wrong opening lead.

Suppose he had led a diamond, which many players in his place would have done. In

that case South would have made four notrump for a score of 650 points (counting the value of a game as 300 points).

Similarly, had Roth led a heart or a club, South would have made three notrump for 550 points.

But Roth led a spade and South was a dead duck. In desperation he put up the queen, which lost to the king, and oddly enough South immediately got squeezed. He was looking at nine cold tricks, but with the opponents on lead he was in poor shape.

Reluctant to part with a winner, he discarded a diamond. East thereupon returned a diamond, which lost to the jack.

Now Roth made the excellent play of the jack of spades, followed by a low spade. He wanted to be sure that East would return a diamond when he took the ace of spades. Roth was afraid that, if he led the four instead of the jack, East might suddenly get nervous and return a spade to assure defeat of the contract.

East did return a diamond and the defense scored four spades and five diamonds to inflict a 900-point defeat. All of which came from a well-judged double and — lest we forget — a well-judged opening lead.

### RUTH RAMSEY

### Today's Grab Bag

**THE ANSWER QUICK!**

1—What is a paynim?  
2—Who founded the Mormon church?  
3—Who wrote "Lord Jim"?  
4—What city in Spain is famous for its leather?  
5—What is a fjord?

**IT HAPPENED TODAY**

On this day in 1807, former vice president Aaron Burr went on trial for "treason" in Richmond, Va. He was acquitted the following August.

On May 23, 1903, Wisconsin became the first state to adopt a direct primary for party elections.

**IT'S BEEN SAID**

Let our object be our country, our whole country and nothing but our country.—Daniel Webster.

**BORN TODAY**

Actor Basil Rathbone and millions of detective story readers are fortunate that today's "Born Today" was.

For Sir Arthur Conan Doyle—he wanted to become a doctor and he was the eldest son of an artist—sat down in 1891 and began a series of stories for "Strand Magazine." And thus the imperturbable Sherlock Holmes was born.

Rathbone was later to become well-known as the famed detective on the screen.

Strangely enough, Doyle didn't consider the Baker Street genius to be his favorite story, even though his name has become inseparable with that of Holmes.

Doyle was educated at Stonyhurst College, in Germany, and at Edinburgh University, where he received his M.D. in 1885. While practicing as a physician in 1887, he published "A Study

in Scarlet," followed by "Michea Clarke" and one of his own favorites "The White Company," a historical romance.

After a series of stories of the Napoleonic wars, he began the Sherlock Holmes cult with "The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes." "The Hound of the Baskervilles" first appeared in "A Study in Scarlet."

It didn't take long for a host of imitators to climb onto the Holmes coattails with mysteries that lacked the Doyle touch.

He returned to his hero in "The Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes." "T.M.H.E. Hound of the Baskervilles," and "The Return of Sherlock Holmes."

Doyle did write other books two in defense of the British army in South Africa, as well as a collection of plays — "The Story of Waterloo," "The Fires of Fate," "The House of Temperley," "The Poison Belt."

During World War I he wrote propaganda for the Allies.

He died in 1930.

Others born today include Richard Wagner, Sir Laurence Olivier, and Marisol Escobar.

**YOUR FUTURE**

Exercise tact and restraint in face of provocation. Refuse needless risks. Today's child will be involved in awkward situations.

Sunday, May 23: This year's birthday won't be as happy as last year's. Today's child will have exceptional vitality.

**HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?**

1—A pagan.  
2—Joseph Smith.  
3—Joseph Conrad.  
4—Cordova.  
5—A long, narrow arm of the sea between high cliffs.



### Factographs

The intensity of noise or sound is measured in terms of power.

An ossicle is a small bone or bony formation.

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## Benton Harbor Fire Danger Continues To Rise

### Millage Decision Up To Voters Monday

Benton Harbor voters will decide Monday if they want to retain police and fire protection at current authorized strength. A six-mill property tax increase for 10 years is on the ballot. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the regular 10 precincts in the city. All registered voters are eligible to ballot.

Benton Harbor currently is vulnerable to crime and to fires — which may claim the very young and the very old. Senior

citizens receive a \$2,500 annual property tax exemption, unless they have income of \$6,000 a year or more. Thus, they will pay much less than the average home owner for police and fire protection.

All home owners in Benton Harbor pay only one-third the total property tax, while two-thirds is paid by business and industry on real and personal property.

Two fires killed six small children in Benton Harbor last

year and the fire danger is increasing here, says Chief Harold Gaddie.

Mounting hazards are caused by much old substandard housing, overloaded electrical circuits, poor housekeeping and an alarming tendency of children to play with matches.

A modern, well-trained fire department and rigid building inspection are obvious safeguards. The city has had the former for years and stepped up inspection in the 1960s. Inspection was set back last year when the fire department's inspection bureau was trimmed to three men because of austerity.

More severe reductions loom if the six-mill operating tax fails Monday. Nine more jobs on the fire department will be

eliminated.

"This means," said Gaddie "that within a year, fire department personnel could be reduced from 43 to 32."

"We answer over 700 alarms a year and every fire is a potential killer. With personnel to operate only two pumpers when we formerly had three, the increasing danger should be obvious."

The fire department has sustained cutbacks already this year. The southside station was closed April 1. Vacancies caused by retirements and resignations have gone unfilled.

These vacancies will become permanent with the start of fiscal year, July 1, 1971, without additional money. Approval of the millage means that the fire department will be brought up to 41 members and southside station reopened.

Mayor Wilbert Smith explained the cuts, if necessary, have to come from police and fire departments, because other departments were cut to the bone last year.

Chief Gaddie described the utility of the southside fire station located near homes, schools and Mercy hospital.

"Fire fighting is a matter of timing. Experiments have shown that a fire increased 1,000 per cent in intensity the first four minutes. Obviously, the sooner the better to fight the fire."

"With southside station closed, it takes five minutes to reach a fire from central station to the farthest point in the city. It takes 2½ minutes to get to Merdy hospital from central station, against one minute from southside station."

Gaddie said he was computing the times from the instant the alarm was received until fire fighting apparatus arrived on the scene.

Fires at institutions could mean the lives of hundreds of persons. Right now, firemen are concerned with an alarming increase in garage fires.

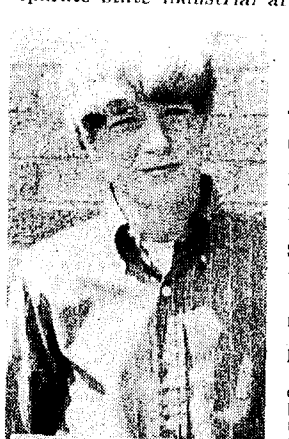
"These are cases where the garage doors are left open. The garage is stored with furniture and other goods, and it breaks out in flames. This is a great danger to all surrounding property. If the fire department doesn't get there fast, the loss could be much greater."



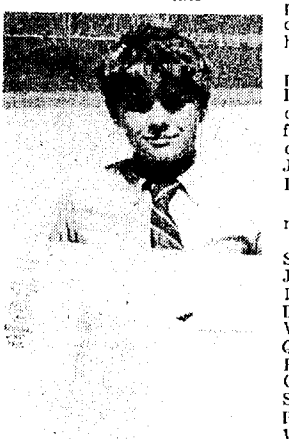
COULD BE YOURS: This house appears well-sided and perhaps met building codes. Yet, four little children died here in a fire in March, 1970. Benton Harbor fire department has modern equipment and well-trained personnel but reduction in strength might mean more scenes like this.

## Five Lakeshore Students Win Arts Honors

Five Lakeshore students captured honors in two separate state industrial arts competitions.



ROBERT FOWLER  
Second In State



BRUCE STEENBERGH  
Third In State

All received first place awards in earlier regional contests.

Winning honors were Joe Leto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leto, 4607 Cardinal avenue, Stevensville; Patrick Beutler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beutler, 1601 Bonny Bruce drive, Stevensville; Stanley Zemke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Zemke, 5250 Cleveland avenue, Stevensville; Bruce Steenbergh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Steenbergh, 1889 Sierra Way, Stevensville, and Bob Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fowler, Stevensville.

Leto, Beutler and Zemke, all high school students, teamed to construct a small trailer, that captured first-place honors in both state and regional competition sponsored by the Michigan Industrial Education Society.

A junior high student, Steenbergh, placed first in the regionals and received third in the state in the beginning mechanical drawing competition of the same contest.

Fowler, another junior high student, competed in Student Industrial competition, winning a first in the regionals and a second in the state contest.

This particular competition involved the building of a wood project under the stress of live competition and during a two-hour time limit.

Regional competition for the projects of Zemke, Beutler, Leto and Steenbergh was conducted in Sturgis, with state finals in Lansing. Fowler participated in regionals in St. Joseph and a state contest in Lansing.

Other Lakeshore students winning regional honors were:

Cody Tucker, Steve Gelesko, Steve Nitz, Bob Jordan, Carl Jones, Tom Neuman, Ed Getz, Brad Harris, Dave Rood, Jim Dansfield, Robin Jolly, Mark Warner, Mark Zandarski, Ender Quinon, Steve Knapp, Erwin Elser, Roger Shawl, Dana Gast, Bob Schmidke, Mike Schneider, Dave Smith, Doug Bennett, Dane Ford, and Dan Wend.

Lakeshore instructors assisting the students with the projects included Robert Husck, Lee Muchmore, Ed Koehler and Jerry Kissman.



FIRST IN STATE: Three Lakeshore high school students, Stan Zemke, Pat Beutler and Joe Leto, display small wagon that won first-place honors in state and regional industrial arts competition.

## BHHS Musicians In Final Concert Next Wednesday

The Benton Harbor high school Symphony band will present its final concert of the year on Wednesday, May 26, at 8 p.m. in the high school gym, Director Bernie Kuschel announced today.

The concert will honor the 34 senior members of the Symphony band who will be graduated in June. The public is invited and there is no admission charge.

Also appearing on the program will be the high school Concert band directed by Monte Sheedlo.

Highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the John Philip Sousa Award to the two outstanding senior members of the Symphony band a boy and a girl.

Included in the Symphony band portion of the program will be "Cole Porter" a symphonic portrait for symphonic band; "Irish Tune from County Kerry" and "Shepherd's Hey" by Percy Grainger; "The Golden Ear" and "Paso Doble" by Mariano San Miguel; and the marches "Emblem of Unity" by J.J. Richards and "Semper Fidelis" by John Philip Sousa.

The Concert band will perform the "Overture in B Flat" by Caesar Giovanni; "Variations on a Korean Folk Song" by John Barnes Chance and a medley of popular tunes by Henry Mancini.

Senior members of the Symphony band are Jane Adams, Bruce Ames, Dave Becker, Renee Borr, Jim Butt, Steve Caldwell, Audrey Christian, Darrell Deltman, Darnell Fair, Vicki Fisher, Wesley Fleming, Debbie Forrest, Vicki Garbuschewski, Wayne Holmer, Rhonda Johnston, Roman Kulich, Laura Mansfield, Suzanne Marutz, Daphne May, Sue Ann McGowan, Kathy McKipe, Gaylene Reybuck, Randy Rue, Gary Ruhl, Jerry Schermer, Harvey

Sells, Sally Sheeley, Al Schuler, Tom Singer, Joan Stoffle, Pete Toth, Julie Weiss, and Pete Wesibuch.

Senior members of the Concert band include Denise Nunley, Jerry Powell, Janet Walker, and Nancy Gulley.

## Gillespie Elected To MSPA Post

Robert J. Gillespie, R.Ph., has been elected vice-president of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical association (MSPA) by a mail ballot of the association's 2,904 members. He has served on the MSPA executive committee since 1968 and was MSPA Treasurer from 1966 to 1968.

Gillespie is treasurer of Gillespie's Drug Stores, Inc., of St. Joseph and Benton Harbor. He is a member and past president of the Tri-County Pharmaceutical association; member and past president of the American Pharmaceutical Association. He was a member of the Michigan Board of Pharmacy from 1952-1963 and president in 1961.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie reside at 2230 Mount Curve avenue, St. Joseph.

He will be installed in his elected position on June 29 at the association's 88th annual meeting in Bellaire.

## President

David Alan Dams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey F. Dams of 3441 Middlebrook drive, St. Joseph, has been elected president of the Sophomore class at John Brown University, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Dams, 18, graduated from St. Joseph high school in 1970. He is presently majoring in business administration.



ROBERT J. GILLESPIE

## Cemeteries Will Be Decorated This Sunday

BERRIEN SPRINGS—American Legion post No. 85, Berrien Springs will decorate area cemeteries Sunday.

Harold Wagner, chaplain, announced the ceremonies will begin at 1 p.m. at Long Lake cemetery then proceed to Salem and Burke and conclude at Storck.

## To Be Recharged

## Drivers Temporarily Beat Traffic Raps

Fifth District Judge John Hammond yesterday dismissed charges against 10 motorists pending trial on certain Benton Harbor traffic violations, but a city official indicated afterwards that charges would be reinstated.

Hammond said the 10 motorists formally were charged under non-existent city ordinances. The allegations should be properly filed under state law.

Hammond said he sent letters of notification of the dismissals to Samuel Henderson and Roger Bittner, Benton Harbor city attorneys; William McClaran, police chief, and Don Stewart, city manager.

The charges including driving while license suspended, driving while license revoked and driving while condition impaired.

Hammond said: "I take judicial notice that the city of Benton Harbor did not have as of the date of the alleged commission of the offense any ordinances covering these offenses."

Hammond indicated that "if the police officers desire to recharge these defendants under state law, that decision we leave up to you." The dismissals were without prejudice; that is, charges can be brought again.

Assistant Benton Harbor city attorney Roger Bittner, said that the defendants would be arraigned under state law.

Bittner indicated that some Benton Harbor city policemen apparently had been unaware the city did not have ordinances covering the offenses and had thus improperly marked arrest sheets.

Those receiving dismissals included:

Driving while license suspended—Terrence Bradford, 27, 1316 Michigan avenue, St. Joseph; Dorie Blair, 5340 Notre Dame

Road, Stevensville; Harvey Yater, 51, 1638 King Avenue, Benton Harbor; Karl A. McClaran, 27, 469 Foster, Benton Harbor; Robert D. Willis, 20, 402 Brunson street, Benton Harbor; Tony Steven Dohmer, 26, 426 South Berrien, New Buffalo; Tommy Lee Sims, 40, 460 McAllister, Benton Harbor; Larry Purnell, 22, 230 Burton, Benton Harbor.

Charges of driving while condition impaired were ordered dismissed against Eric Carl Kasischke, 73, 657 Columbus, Benton Harbor.

A charge of driving while license revoked and two charges of driving while license suspended were dismissed against Barron Monroe Perkins, 21, of 650 Territorial, Benton Harbor.

## UCF Budget Conference Is Tuesday

The annual United Community Fund budget conference will begin next Tuesday with Dale O. Jeffers acting as chairman.

This year's conference will begin with hearings at 7:30 a.m. on Tuesday in the UCF conference room at the YWCA, St. Joseph. They will continue on Thursday, May 27, and are scheduled to conclude on Tuesday, June 1.

The 34-member UCF budget and allocations committee will hear requests of UCF agencies for 1972 operating funds. When the three-day conference is concluded, they will recommend tentative allocations.

A final goal for next fall's UCF campaign is expected to be established at a meeting of the United Fund board of directors on June 24. The goal also must be officially accepted by UCF campaign chairman Stewart E. (Jack) Treffry.

Besides Jeffers, members of the UCF budget and allocations unit are:

Mrs. Lee Biespiel, Kenneth L. Chapin, William T. Clynes, Ted Daniels, Joseph DeFrance, Jr., Mrs. Frances Dorgelo, Miss Evelyn Fisher, Robert L. Gerbel, Conrad Greim, Jack C. Hamilton, Rev. George Hartmann, Mrs. Kent Hughes, Robert Humberg, Charles F. Joseph, Donald L. Ladrow, Frank LaPrade, Robert C. LaPrade, Mrs. Sue Lee, David C. Madison, Mrs. Shannon Madison, Vincent A. Miller, Alton B. Parrott, William Rohring, Charles Rovabeck, Mrs. Edward Schalon, Mrs. Norman Stienkey, Mrs. John Paul Taylor, Atty. Russell Taylor, Henry H. Tippet, Atty. David VanderPloeg, Miss Evelyn Vogel, Allan J. Westmaas, and Donald E. Whitaker.

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DALE O. JEFFERS

## Weekends In Jail For Father

Berrien Circuit Judge Chester J. Byrns on Friday sentenced a Benton Harbor father of two children on Aid to Dependent Children grants to 10 weekends in jail after finding him in contempt of court for failing \$3,093 behind in child support.

Mary Rondelli, investigator for the Friend of the Court, reported Judge Byrns included in orders for William Martin that Martin spend a year on probation to the Friend of the Court. He must pay \$20 weekly support plus \$1 weekly on arrears, and execute a wage assignment if he finds steady work.

The children are of a former marriage, Mrs. Rondelli said.

IN HOSPITAL  
THREE OAKS—Mrs. Russell Annable has been admitted to St. Anthony hospital, Michigan City, Ind.

## BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

### South Haven Band Raising Camp Funds

SOUTH HAVEN—Uniformed members of the L. C. Mohr high school band will canvass the city Wednesday between 5 and 7:30 p.m. for orders for a birthday calendar.

The calendar is to be produced and sold by the Instrumental Music Boosters and the band to raise money to send the band to the Van Buren youth camp in Bloomingdale.

With the purchase of a \$2 calendar, residents may list family birthdays and anniversaries to be printed on the calendar. Schedules for school activities and the meeting dates of city organizations will also be listed.

## Berrien Foundation Approves Six Grants

Members of the Berrien Community Foundation approved grants totaling \$10,600 to six local area organizations for 1971 at their annual meeting this week in Benton Harbor.

The organization, founded to provide financial support to deserving community developments, had assets totaling \$276,194 as of April 30, according to a financial statement presented to members.

Contributions to the foundation amounted to \$17,711 in the calendar year of 1970, and another \$10,204 has been added during the first four months of 1971. Foundation grants paid

out last year amounted to \$14,245.

Andrew Grootendorst, 50, of Benton Harbor was reelected president. Other officers named were Mrs. Florence VanAntwerp, vice president, and Lester E. Page, secretary-treasurer.

Biggest of the six grants approved for 1971 was one for \$5,000 to the Berrien County Council of Churches for application on indebtedness for the migrant hospitality center in Sodus township. The grant was in keeping with the request

of a donor of \$10,000 to the foundation that \$5,000 be used for reducing the migrant center mortgage.

Five \$320 scholarships to Lake Michigan college were awarded to the school, and grants of \$1,500 each went to Mercy and Memorial hospitals for equipment purchase.

A grant of \$500 was made to Benton Harbor public library for purchase of books on vocations and careers. Another \$500 grant went to Berrien County Historical society as matching funds for the employment of a consultant for restoration of the original Berrien county courthouse at Berrien Springs.

## Society Urges Checkup

# Free Oral Cancer Clinic Wednesday

A free Oral Cancer Detection clinic will be held on Wednesday, May 26, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the B'Nai Shalom synagogue, 2050 Broadway, Fairplain. Over 50 physicians, dentists and osteopaths will make examinations with materials provided by the American Cancer Society.

Registrations for the clinic can be made by calling the American Cancer Society office at 983-7305, or by filling out registration forms at physicians' or dentist's offices. The Lakeshore Jaycees also have distributed forms to area banks, hospitals, supermarkets and industries. Forms will soon be available in local newspapers and can be cut out and turned in.

Registration slips may be deposited in canisters at the Farmers & Merchants Bank at Fairplain Plaza and at 94 West Main street, in Benton Harbor; Peoples State Bank at State and Ship streets in St. Joseph; and Inter-City Bank, 823 Riverview drive, Benton Harbor.

Candy Strippers from Mercy Hospital and members of the Medical Careers club from Twin Cities high schools will be stationed at area supermarkets on Friday, and Saturday, May 21-22. The girls will help fill out registrations forms.

The Lakeland Valley Dental Assistants Society and the Lake Shore Jaycees Auxiliary are conducting a telephone registration campaign.

A free bus service to the clinic will be provided by the First United Methodist Church of St. Joseph. Buses will leave from Harbor Towers at noon, and from Lakeview Towers at 1 p.m.

On May 25 at 7:30 p.m. there will be a meeting for all doctors involved. A film will be shown and various procedures will be shown concerning the clinic.

Ladies from the B'Nai Shalom synagogue will serve coffee during hours the clinic is in operation. A luncheon will be

held for attending doctors and 12 dental students from the University of Michigan who will act as assistants.

A team of three doctors from the University of Michigan will help conduct the clinic and examine patients. Co-chairmen are: Dr. Daniel Snyder, associate professor of dentistry and project co-director; Dr. Nathaniel Howe, professor of oral pathology; and the third member is Dr. Donald Kerr, head of oral pathology, all at the University of Michigan.

The Oral Cancer Detection Clinic is sponsored by the American Cancer Society, the University of Michigan Dental School and Twin Cities physicians and dentists.

The purpose of the clinic is "to focus the attention of both the health profession and the general public on the desirability of a thorough examination for the detection of oral lesions (damaged tissues)," according to Dr. H. William Fowler, a St. Joseph dentist and chairman of the clinic.

Cancer will hit about 50 million Americans and 34 million will die from it, Fowler said. About two to three per cent will have oral cancer, and 700 oral cancer cases will be detected in Michigan alone this year, he added.

The clinic is free and the examination will take a painless three minutes. No biopsy (examination of tissue removed from the body) work will be done, and if a sore is present it does not necessarily mean cancer, Fowler explained.

Dr. Fowler urged everyone, not just Twin Cities residents, to come to the clinic for an examination. "Any suspicious areas will be noted and results sent to your doctor or dentist, and physicians will also examine the outside area of lips and facial surface," he said.

The three warning signals for cancer are: unusual bleeding or discharge, lump or swelling of lip, gum, tongue, cheek, palate, tonsils or neck; or sores and ulcerations that do not heal, Fowler said.

## Outstanding LMC Scholars Receive Honors

Twenty-three outstanding Lake Michigan College scholars were honored Friday noon at an awards luncheon at the Wyndwike Country club, St. Joseph.

Seventeen received board of trustees honors for their academic proficiency in a specific subject; one received the President's award for over-all scholarship; and six were cited for winning scholarships.

Dean L. Kimmerly, chairman of the LMC board of trustees, spoke and Ralph H. Stutzman, dean of arts and sciences, served as master of ceremonies.

The awards were presented by instructors representing the areas in which the students won honors. The honors winners

were selected by the faculty.

The winner of the President's award, for over-all scholastic excellence, was William Gorske of St. Joseph, who received his award from LMC President Dr. James Lehman.

Honorees and their areas of study were: Dan Lockwitz, accounting; Charles Barnes, biological science; Jerry Snyder, chemistry; Colleen Shanahan, English; Phyllis A. Boss, music; and Patricia Brower, speech.

Bonnie Kimball, business administration; Cathy Harboldt, office education; Mary Peterson, behavioral science; Thomas Muller, electronics; John Grannell, history; Donald Dettman, political science; Beverly Bartlett, foreign languages; Vay Bott, mathematics; Geraldine Stowers, practical nursing; Linda McFadden, health science; Ellen Dinges, medical technology.

## Resurface Job Due On M-152

LANSING — The stretch of M-152 running through the Sister Lakes area is included in a \$6 million emergency program to resurface highways around the state.

The Michigan Highway commission has authorized repairs to 140 miles of state highways particularly hard hit by the recent winter. The projects will be undertaken during the fiscal year, starting July 1.

The M-152 portion covers 7.7 miles between the Berrien-Van Buren county line the intersection with M-40, five miles north of Dowagiac. The cost is \$250,000.

The estimated \$6 million cost statewide will be financed entirely by state highway funds, officials said.



LEONARD J. HANKO  
Valedictorian



KATHLEEN GRABEMEYER  
Salutatorian

## Top Grads Named At Eau Claire

EAU CLAIRE —The winner of a geometry award in the state competitive scholarship testing and the winner of two high school honor awards have been named the top scholastic students for 1971 in the Eau Claire high school.

Leonard Joseph Hanko, with a 3.93 grade point average on a 4.0-point system, earned the valedictorian honor. Kathleen Ann Grabemeyer earned the salutatorian award with a 3.90 average.

Hanko was the winner of the geometry award. Miss Grabemeyer was recognized in history and geometry by the high school during her four years as a student.

Announcement of the latest scholastic honors was made by John A. Laskarides, high school principal.

Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hanko of route 2, Bangor, is to attend Michigan state university after graduating. He has been a member of the track and cross country teams, president of the student council for the last two years, president of the chess club, a member of the math-science club, the bowling team, varsity club, and statistician for the basketball and football teams.

**TO ATTEND NMU**  
Kathleen, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Grabemeyer of route 5, Dowagiac, will attend Northern Michigan university Marquette in the fall. Her activities include student council secretary, football manager, jogging club, school plays, vice president of French club, school newspaper staffer, Future Farmers and pep club.

Laskarides also announced the remaining eight of the top ten students. They were Cora Lee Holle, Joyce Skibbee, Linda Cook, Carol Nichols, Barbara Zachary, Paul Stafford, Barbara Feecho and Beverly Sanders.



**SPECIAL HONORS:** Graduating students at Lake Michigan college who have earned special academic honors were honored at awards luncheon Friday at Wyndwike Country club. From left to right: (front row) John C. Grannell, Jerry Snyder, Mamie Graziano, Linda McFadden, Vay J. Bott, Mary Peterson; (second row) Charles Barnes, Phyllis Boss, Chris-

tine Demis, Ellie Dinges; (third row) Tom Muller, Diane Lausman, Cathy Harboldt, Colleen Shanahan, Patricia Brower; (fourth row) Donn Dettman, Dan Lockwitz, Bonnie J. Kimball, James Demis, Jr., Geraldine Stowers, Mary Lou Clark. Not present for photo were William Gorske and Beverly Bartlett.

## Zollar Voices Opposition To College Consolidation Plan

By ALAN AREND  
Staff Writer

State Senator Charles O. Zollar of Benton Harbor told trustees of the Michigan Community College Association (MCCA) last night that he's opposed to reappointment of community college district lines.

Sen. Zollar said one of his greatest fears is "centralized control of education" and he is entirely against the Montgomery plan for consolidation of community college districts.

The MCCA, comprised of 27 community colleges in Michigan, is the chief voice of the community college movement in the state and exists as a forum for the exchange of ideas and concerns among its members.

Lake Michigan college is hosting the annual business meeting of the MCCA board of trustees, yesterday and today. The MCCA board is comprised of the

president and the chairman of the board of trustees of each of the 27 member institutions — 54 members in all.

Sen. Zollar said the Montgomery plan has never gotten out of committee, but there appears to be a move to do so now. The plan would realign the state's present 29 community college districts into 15 districts, lumping Lake Michigan college, Southwestern Michigan college and Kalamazoo Community college into the same district.

"You at the local level know what's best for your individual schools," Sen. Zollar said. "Consolidation would cost you dearly, and I'm certainly opposed to it and the reappointment plan (Montgomery bill) in question."

### EXCELLENT JOB

Sen. Zollar complimented MCCA board members on the

"excellent job" they're doing and told them they have the greatest opportunity of any educational faction in the state to progress.

The MCCA held business sessions at 4 p.m. and following the dinner-meeting at Ramada Inn last night. The sessions continued this morning and the full MCCA board was invited to attend commencement exercises at LMC this afternoon.

The group elected officers for the coming year yesterday. Elected chairman of MCCA was Paul Jones, president of Highland Park Community college. Dr. Fred Matthews, chairman of the board of Southwestern Michigan college was elected vice chairman and Robert Cahow, was re-elected executive secretary.

Dean Kimmerly, LMC board chairman, said that reappointment of community college

district lines and tuition proposals in the state legislature were the main topics of discussion during the business sessions thus far.

He said that a large majority of MCCA board members have expressed dissatisfaction with the current appropriations act which set tuition rates for community colleges for the 1971-72 school year at \$10 per credit hour for in-district students, \$20 per credit hour for out-district students, and \$30 per credit hour for out-state students.

"I feel it would be fair to say that the general consensus of MCCA board members is that tuition rates should be left up to the individual community college boards," Kimmerly said.

Governor Milliken has also indicated his disapproval of this current setup for 1971-72 school year.

## Dispute Over Health Dept. Firing Settled

The disputed February firing of the Berrien county health department's chief environmentalist has been settled with a dismissal of charges against the environmentalist, awarding of back pay, and a new job for him in the state health department.

Benton Harbor Atty. F.A. (Mike) Jones, counsel for Earle H. Olsen, said in a statement today that the Berrien county health board has dropped unstated charges against Olsen. It awarded him back pay from February to May, and Olsen has resigned from the department to take a post in Escanaba, according to the statement.

Frank Poorman, health board chairman, confirmed the health board actions.

### DROPPED FEB. 12

Olsen 38, of Route 6, Dowagiac, was dropped from the department payroll effective Feb. 12 for unstated reasons and later requested a hearing on his dismissal before the health board.

He starts Monday as sanitarian in the engineering division of the Michigan Department of Health at pay comparable to or larger than his old Berrien health department annual salary of \$14,100, Atty. Jones said.

Olsen joined the Berrien health department in November, 1966. Since 1969 he also has served as environmental health consultant to Cass county and his resignation from the Berrien department coincides with one from the Cass health department, Jones said.

Both Jones and Poorman declined to comment on the charges against Olsen involved in the earlier dismissal.

Meanwhile, Richard A. Ives, 29, of St. Joseph, a Berrien health department employee since 1968, has been named acting chief environmentalist.

### RETURN FROM VISIT

GANGES — Mrs. Charles Sargent and Howard have returned home from Sacramento, Calif., where they visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Veron Hjellden.



EARLE H. OLSEN

## Foundation Grants To LMC Trio

Three members of the Lake Michigan college faculty have received National Science Foundation grants for summer study.

Milt Lingle physical science instructor, will participate in a four-week course in Energy and Moisture Climatology at the University of Delaware.

Wenell Yale, physics instructor, will study computer applications in physics for eight weeks at the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Harry Rodgers, chemistry instructor, will go to Western Illinois university to study physical methods in organic chemistry for six weeks.

All three programs are for college instructors only.

## River Valley Band Concert On Thursday

THREE OAKS — The River Valley Schools instrumental music department will present a band concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 27, in the River Valley high school gymnasium.

Jeff Cole, band director, said participating in the program will be the sixth grade band, Junior and senior high school concert bands and the high school wind ensemble. Senior awards will be presented during the evening and this year's outstanding musicians and band members will be named.

## HARTFORD SCHOOLS

## Administrators Get Six Percent Hike

HARTFORD — A six per cent pay boost for administrators in the Hartford public school system has been granted by the school board, effective for the new fiscal year starting July 1.

The raise was part of new contracts approved by the board earlier this month. Under the package, the superintendent's salary goes to \$20,988 from \$19,800; the high school principal, to \$18,790 from \$17,840; the middle school principal, to \$16,090 from \$15,840; and the grade school principal, to \$14,271 from \$13,464.

Supt. Gary Waterkamp said the salary for the district's grade school principal's position, now vacant, was left open pending employment of a principal.

Unlike teacher contracts which cover a 36-week span, the contracts for administrators range from 41 weeks for grade school principals to 50 weeks for the superintendent.



**COLLEGE LEADERS MEET:** State Senator Charles O. Zollar of Benton Harbor (center) spoke before trustees of the Michigan Community College association (MCCA) following a dinner-meeting at the Ramada Inn, Benton Harbor last night. With Sen. Zollar from left are Dr. Fred Matthews, chairman of the board of trustees of Southwestern

Michigan college and new vice-chairman of the MCCA; Dean Kimmerly, Lake Michigan college's board chairman; Sen. Zollar; Robert Cahow, MCCA executive secretary; and Dr. James Lehman, president of LMC. LMC is hosting the annual MCCA board meeting which ended this morning. (Staff photo)



# Sewage Bond Contract Signed By Coloma Twp.

COLOMA — Coloma township officials signed a contract last night spelling out the township's obligation for repayment of bonds on a proposed \$11 million sewage system.

The system will serve four governmental units, including Coloma and Watervliet cities and townships.

Under one contract, approved by the board, the township agrees to repay in quarterly shares bonds sold by the Ber-

rien county board of public works for the proposed sewage treatment plant and river interceptor line.

A second contract, in which Coloma township agrees to repay bonds sold for the construction of a township sewer line, was also approved.

Both contracts spell out the township's obligation for repayment and give approval for the county board to handle the actual sale of bonds.

Bonds amounting to \$5 million are to be sold to help pay for the sewage system. The remaining \$6 million is expected to come from state and federal grants.

Only Coloma township officials met last night, to sign the contracts. Coloma and Watervliet city commission are expected to ink their contracts during their Monday night meeting.

Watervliet Township Super-

visor G. W. Hutchins said that his board planned to meet this morning at 9 a.m. to sing their contracts for the proposed sewage system.

All signed contracts are to be presented next Wednesday to the county public works board, and after getting approval there, the contracts must then be approved by the county board of commissioners.

Before the bonds can be sold, further approval must be received by the Michigan Finance Commission.

Bids for the \$11 million sewage system are slated to be opened June 16 at the county courthouse.



**TROPHY FOR MARIRUTH:** Blossomtime officials presented Mariruth Winters with a framed resolution and a ring to commemorate 20 years of service to the annual festival. Gordon Hosbein, Blossomtime director presented the cup while Don Humphrey, president of Blossomtime, Inc., applauds at left. (Staff photo)

## MEMENTOES PRESENTED Blossomtime Bids Adieu To Mariruth

Blossomtime Inc., officially said farewell to one of its most successful volunteers, Mrs. Mariruth Winters, at a dinner last night at Holiday Inn, south of Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Winters, women's director for station WHFB and chairman of numerous Blossomtime events including the fashion show and grand floral ball, is moving to Ohio, June 1.

Among the mementoes she received from Blossomtime and community officials was a key to the City of Benton Harbor, a framed resolution attesting to her work with the annual festival, a large loving cup trophy and a ring with 20

diamonds signifying the 20 years she has spent as a volunteer worker.

Benton Harbor Mayor Wilbert Smith brought the 100 guests to their feet when he presented Mrs. Winters with a key to the City of Benton Harbor, praised Mrs. Winters for her community spirit and Blossomtime officials for pushing on with the festival despite setbacks. Mrs. Ray Norberg presented the ring.

Blossomtime board members presented Mrs. Winters with a framed resolution that said in part: "be it known that the board of directors extends to Mariruth Winters its highest expression of appreciation for the many years of devoted service and ministrations to the many facets making up the Blossomtime festival, the compendium of services rendered by her on behalf of Blossomtime, is hereby recognized as above and beyond the expectation of a Blossomtime volunteer."

Don Humphrey, president of Blossomtime said, in 1966 Mrs.

Winters suggested staging a fashion show and that somewhat to officials' surprise, the event made \$1,307. This year she was chairman of the fashion show and ball and the two events cleared over \$5,000, Humphrey said.

Terry Baccash, treasurer, James Baricklow, secretary and Jay W. Holt, vice president, all echoed Humphrey's plaudits.

Mrs. Winters said she had watched hundreds of key presentations but this was the first time she ever received one. Obviously overcome with emotion she said simply she wanted to thank all of the people who worked with her, that leaving the Twin Cities was a difficult decision to make, and that she hoped to return whenever a Blossomtime festival is held.

Her colleagues at WHFB put together a montage of tape recordings of her experiences as a radio announcer.

## Fire Board Ends Year In Black

EAU CLAIRE—Merl D. Edwards, secretary-treasurer of the Joint Pipestone-Berrien-Eau Claire Fire department answered 44 calls for assistance.

Fire runs in Berrien township, (of which there were 24) cost \$1244 while Pipestone township's 18 runs cost \$733. The two mutual aid runs cost \$136, Edwards reported.

Other expenditures for the last year were: fire chief's salary \$390; pay to firemen for meetings they attended \$286; answering service \$600; equipment expense \$509.60; truck expense \$913.36; insurance on men and trucks \$975.95; and miscellaneous expense \$32.

Outside income for the year amounted to \$697.50 and the net operating expense for the year was \$5,122.41. Capital expense for the year totaled \$1,000.88. The year ended with a bank balance of \$2,064.87.

## Coloma Teen Arrested For Theft

COLOMA — A 17-year-old Coloma youth has been taken into custody for the April 24 burglary of the Coloma Recreation center.

Arrested late last night by Coloma township police was Dennis Joe Berry of 345 Hill street, Coloma. He was booked for the burglary, in which \$200 was reported stolen.

Berry was also being held in connection with the theft of tools last April 19 from the David Hayman residence, route 4, Coloma, police said.

## Resor Quits As Army Secretary

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of the Army Stanley Resor has submitted his long-expected resignation.

After six years, some greater attention to his family is overdue," he said in a four-paragraph letter Friday to Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

President Nixon accepted the resignation with "special regret" and has not chosen a successor, the White House said. Resor agreed to remain at the \$42,500-a-year post until it is filled.

The 53-year-old Resor, a hold-over from the Johnson administration, has served longest as secretary of the Army since the position was created in 1947.

A spokesman said he is expected to return to his New York law firm.

## Kidnapers Are Still At Large

ISTANBUL (AP) — Police and soldiers continued searching today for an Israeli diplomat kidnaped by leftist terrorists six days ago. There was no word of his fate.

Ephraim Elrom, Israeli consul-general in Istanbul, was seized on Monday by armed members of the Turkish Peoples Liberation Army. They threatened to kill Elrom if fellow revolutionaries were not released from Turkish prisons by Thursday evening, but the deadline passed with no new word from the kidnapers.

Elrom's wife issued a new appeal for her husband's release. "I call upon you again," she said in a statement issued through the semiofficial Anatolian news agency. "Your deadline ended more than 24 hours ago. I have no news of my husband. I am very anxious and worried. I expect you to release him without harm."

## Illegitimate Child Gets Father's Name

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — An unmarried couple has won a court decision permitting their illegitimate infant son to take his father's name.

The ruling Friday by Superior Court Judge Ward J. Herbert upset centuries-old legal holdings that an illegitimate child must be named after the mother.

The judge ordered St. James Hospital in Newark, where the infant was born to Miss Emilia Torres and Edward Shaw, to fill out the child's birth certificate with the name Edward Shaw Jr.

Miss Torres gave birth to the child March 27. When the hospital attempted to put her name on the certificate the couple contested a state regulation that an illegitimate child be given the mother's name.

## LEGALS

**STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN**

IT IS ORDERED, that on July 14, 1971 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courtroom, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of a purported will for appointment of fiduciary, and for a determination of validity, and for a determination of validity, and for a determination of validity.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE Judge of Probate

DATED: May 3, 1971  
ATTY: TAYLOR & TAYLOR  
ATTORNEYS FOR ESTATE  
ADDRESS: 201 Wayne Street  
St. Joseph, Michigan  
May 8, 15, 22, 1971 H.P. Adv.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN**

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DATED: April 30, 1971  
ATTY: TAYLOR & TAYLOR  
ATTORNEYS FOR PETITIONERS  
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**MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION HELD IN THE CITY HALL, ST. JOSEPH, MICHIGAN, AT 7:30 O'CLOCK P. M., MONDAY, MAY 10, 1971.**

**PRESIDENT: MAYOR EHRENBURG, COMMISSIONERS: GAST, SMITH AND TOBIAS. HAROLD D. MARSTON, ACTING CITY MANAGER. A. G. PRESTON, JR., CITY ATTORNEY. CHARLES J. RHODES, DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.**

**A BSENT: COMMISSIONER HANLEY AND CITY MANAGER L. L. HILL.**

Harold D. Marston was appointed as acting City Manager in the absence of L. L. Hill, City Manager.

Minutes of the meeting held May 3, 1971 were read and approved.

Report of the vouchers to be allowed May 10, 1971, were submitted as follows:

Payroll Gen. Vo. Nos. 14107, 14108, 14110 - 14112, incl. 46,847.10

Bills are as follows:

Commission Clerk	240.13
Director of Law Manager	35.90
Assessor	12.50
Engineer	69.82
Public Housing	19.37
Commission	345.75
Fire Department	77.89
Police Department	2,670.58
Traffic	121.19
Cemeteries	122.85
Municipal Buildings	473.27
Sewers	127.87
Sidewalk Constr.	786.97
Project	14.42
Garage P.W.	1,316.57
State St. Reconstr.	138.85
Water Lighting	3,885.12
Water	5,198.11
Plant	1,621.98
Housin Code	8.49
Enforce, Dept.	17.65
Inspection Dept.	407.95
Garbage & Rubbish	2,387.70
Parks	20,503.00
Brown Property	67,351.10
619 Lake Blvd.	12
Forestry Department	316.68
Band	.54
Gen. Vo. Nos. 14113 - 14175 incl.	20,503.00

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Smith, moved approval of the foregoing report and that the Director of Finance be authorized to issue vouchers in payment of the several amounts. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Gast, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioner Hanley. Motion declared carried.

**RESOLUTION APPROVING TURN-ON AGREEMENT.**

RESOLVED that the TURN-ON AGREEMENT between the City of St. Joseph, the Village of Stevensville, and the Lake Michigan Shoreline Water & Sewage Treatment Authority, prepared by the City Attorney and on file in the Office of the City Clerk, providing for the furnishing of water from the City of St. Joseph to the Village of Stevensville, commencing June 1, 1971, be and hereby is approved.

RESOLVED FURTHER that the Mayor and the Clerk of the City of St. Joseph are hereby authorized and directed to sign said Agreement on behalf of the City of St. Joseph.

Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Gast, moved approval of the foregoing resolution. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Gast, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioner Hanley. Motion declared carried and resolution adopted.

**ACCEPTANCE OF BUDGET JULY 1, 1971 TO JUNE 30, 1972.**

This being the time fixed by action of the City Commission, pursuant to City Charter provision and published notice of public hearing on consideration of the City Budget, Mayor Ehrenberg announced the Commission ready to hear any suggestions or objections thereto.

No objections having been filed with the City Clerk or made orally, after due consideration, Mr. Ehrenberg, seconded by Mr. Tobias, moved that the following resolution be adopted:

RESOLVED that the budget as submitted by the City Manager April 26, 1971 be accepted and approved as the estimated expenditures and receipts of the City of St. Joseph for the fiscal year July 1, 1971, to June 30, 1972, and that the City Attorney be directed to prepare the Annual Appropriation Ordinance in conformity therewith and submit same to this Commission.

Roll call on the motion resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Gast, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioner Hanley. Motion declared carried and resolution adopted.

**AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE MAKING PROVISION FOR AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES AND LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ST. JOSEPH, MICHIGAN, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1971 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 1972, AND FOR PAYMENTS ON BOND INDEBTEDNESS, SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AND**

**OTHER OBLIGATIONS OF SAID CITY AND DIRECTED THE LEVY OF A TAX SUFFICIENT THEREFOR"** WAS presented and read. Following discussion, Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Smith, moved that the Appropriation Ordinance, as given its first reading, be laid on the table for one week. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Gast, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioner Hanley. Motion declared carried.

Mr. Louis Connors appeared before the Commission to protest the proposed sidewalk assessment against his Mothers property at the corner of Forbes Avenue and DuVerne Street. The Mayor referred the matter to the City Manager.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, Mr. Tobias, moved to adjourn until Monday 7, 1971, at 4:00 o'clock PM.

WM. H. EHRENBURG Mayor  
Charles J. Rhodes City Clerk  
May 22, 1971 H.P. Adv.

**APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 1971 1972**

**AN ORDINANCE MAKING PROVISION FOR AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES AND LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ST. JOSEPH, MICHIGAN, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1971, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 1972, AND FOR PAYMENTS ON BOND INDEBTEDNESS, SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AND OTHER OBLIGATIONS OF SAID CITY, AND DIRECTING THE LEVY OF A TAX SUFFICIENT THEREFOR.**

**THE CITY OF ST. JOSEPH ORDAINS:**

**ARTICLE I**

General Fund Levies

General Declaration of Appropriation and Levy:

Sec. 1. The Commission of the City of St. Joseph having heretofore considered the budget submitted by the City Manager, it is hereby determined and ordered that there shall be raised by general taxation upon all the taxable property in the City for the purpose of defraying the general operating expense of said City, the sum of \$1,032,471.04, same being a tax rate of 12.50 mills upon the equalized valuation of all taxable property in the City of St. Joseph, as determined and certified by the Board of Review of said City.

Sec. 2. When and as said taxes are collected and when receipts are received from sources other than general taxation, all as contemplated and provided by the Annual Budget heretofore adopted by the City Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 1971, to June 30, 1972, said taxes and receipts shall be distributed and credited pro rata to the several specific funds as created, fixed and enumerated in said budget.

**ARTICLE II**

Additional and Special Fund Levies Specially Authorized by Charter

Sec. 1. In addition to the several sums hereinbefore appropriated, it is hereby determined and ordered that there shall be raised by general taxation upon all the taxable property in the City of St. Joseph as determined and certified by the Board of Review of said City, for the several specific funds and purposes next hereinafter set forth, to be credited to the specific funds designated in the following amounts respectively:

(a) Library Fund: A special tax authorized by Sec. 14, Chap. IX, City Charter, for general Library purposes \$57,818.38

(b) Garbage and Rubbish Fund: To meet general expenses of the City in handling garbage and rubbish \$155,195.37

(c) Band Fund: Special tax authorized by Section 15 (b) of the Charter and approved by a vote of the people April 4, 1938, for the maintenance of a band benefit of the public \$16,519.53

(d) Street Impr. Funds: A special tax authorized by Sec. 15 (c), Chap. IX, to defray the cost of Street Improvements, \$41,298.84

**ARTICLE III**

Interest and Sinking Fund

Sec. 1. In addition to the several sums hereinbefore appropriated, it is hereby determined and ordered that there shall be raised by taxation upon all taxable property in said City, the still further sum of \$49,558.00, same being a tax rate of .60 mills upon the equalized valuation of all taxable property in the City of St. Joseph as determined and certified by the Board of Review of said City, for the purpose of paying bonded indebtedness and interest thereon.

**ARTICLE IV**

Special Funds to be Raised by Rates and Fees

(1) Water Fund: For maintenance, operation, extension and improvement of public water system, mains and breakwater, to be raised by water rates \$274,440.00

(2) General Sewer Fund: To be further appropriated for maintenance and extension of sewer system and raised by annual service charge of \$2.00 per tap as authorized by Ord. 53.10.

**ARTICLE V**

Special Assessment Levies

Sec. 1. General Declaration:

Sec. 1. The City Assessor is hereby ordered and directed to cause the several sums so caused to be raised by general taxation to be levied and spread upon and against all taxable property in said City and the same shall be due and payable July 1, 1971. He shall cause the several sums ordered and directed to be levied and spread as special assessments to be levied and spread at such times as are set forth in the various confirming resolutions. All special assessments shall be due and payable September 30, 1971, and if not sooner paid, shall be collected with the winter, December 1, taxes.

Sec. 2. This ordinance is to take effect and be in full force ten days from the date of its passage.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 17th day of May, A.D., 1971.

WM. H. EHRENBURG Mayor  
Charles J. Rhodes City Clerk  
May 22, 1971 H.P. Adv.

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

The Township of Oronoko, Berrien County, Michigan, will receive sealed bids for purchase of its township land, being part of Lots 225 and 226 in the Village of Berrien Springs, Michigan, until 7:30 p.m. on the 8th day of June, 1971, at the address of the Township Clerk, Robert Gill, 309 West Park, Berrien Springs, Michigan, and said bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the aforesaid time and place.

The premises can be inspected by contacting the Township Clerk, Robert Gill.

The Township of Oronoko, Berrien County, Michigan, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularities in bidding.

Robert Gill, Oronoko Township Clerk  
Berrien County, Michigan  
May 22, 1971. H.P. Adv.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN**

IT IS ORDERED, that on August 4, 1971 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courtroom, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on A. G. Preston, Jr., Executor, of 400 Main Street, St. Joseph, Michigan prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE Judge of Probate

Dated: May 17, 1971  
A. G. Preston, Jr., Administrator for Estate of Anna M. Shea, Decd.  
ADDRESS: 400 Main Street, St. Joseph, Michigan 49083  
May 22, 29, June 5, 1971 H.P. Adv.

**NOTICE TO APPEARANT BENEFICIARY**

Re: Estate of Anna M. Shea, deceased, Berrien County Probate Court File No. 23715.

TO: Cleary J. Shea, next of kin, unknown presumptive heirs, next of kin, legatees and devisees.

Please take notice that unless cause to the contrary is shown at a hearing to be held before the Court on Tuesday, July 20, 1971, at 9:15 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom of the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, an order of assignment and distribution will be made by the Court of the portion of the Estate of Anna M. Shea, deceased, as though Cleary J. Shea, deceased, at the time of the death of Anna M. Shea, who died November 26, 1967.

JOAN C. TIMMONS, Attorney for Patrick J. Kinney, Attorney for Estate of Anna M. Shea, Decd.  
Fiduciary Add. Savings & Loan Bldg., St. Joseph, Michigan 49083  
Mar. 26, Apr. 17, May 12, June 19, 1971. H.P. Adv.

# A lot of Americans are suffering from withdrawal symptoms.

What's wrong?

You're making more money than you ever have.

But every time you plan on putting money into your savings, you end up withdrawing some.

Maybe you're buying too many little things you don't really need. Little here, little there. After awhile it adds up.

You know, that's just the theory behind the Payroll Savings Plan. You sign up where you work, and they set a little aside from each paycheck and use it to buy U.S. Savings Bonds. You don't really miss the money that way . . . and before you know it, you've got a nest egg that's really worth something.

And now there's a bonus interest rate on all U.S. Savings Bonds—

for E Bonds, 5½% when held to maturity of 5 years, 10 months (4% the first year). That extra ½%, payable as a bonus at maturity, applies to all Bonds issued since June 1, 1970 . . . with a comparable improvement for all older Bonds.

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## Take stock in America.

Now Bonds pay a bonus at maturity.

### NOTICE!!!

The News-Palladium and Herald-Press cannot accept child care or baby sitting service ads unless such home is licensed. Contact your county Bureau of Social Services.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Lost And Found** 1  
LOST—White male unclipped Poodle, south St. Joseph area. Call 983-1493.

**REWARD**—For information leading to the return of dog, Black curly coat, (Kerry Blue Terrier). Last seen vic. of Jean Klock Park May 18. ID Tag with "Charlie" and Gary, Ind. address. Call 923-8959.

**In Memorium** 3  
IN MEMORY of father ROBERT E. SMITH, Sr., who passed away 5 years ago today.  
You left loving memories behind. Leaving us kids our happiness to find. You came for Mom to join your nest. Now you're together again in Eternal Rest.  
Sadly missed by Sons, Daughters & Grandchildren

**Monuments — Cemetery Lots** 4  
ONE—2 grave lot in North Shore Memory Gardens. Retail \$600, asking \$350. Ph. 925-9025.

**Personals** 5  
BUYING & SELLING—all types coins. VISIT OUR NEW COIN SHOP. Phone South Bend 172-0210.  
THE ANGELS—Of the Fairplay Little League dedicate all their games this year to Mrs. Toni Jannings, wife of Manager Rick Jannings.

**Special Notices** 6  
LINCOLN'S BARBEQUE HOUSE  
Barbequed ribs, chicken, beef, lamb, pork & goat. Also Fish, Chili & Shrimp. Open for business at 855 Broadway, B.H.

THE NEW & REMODELED  
CARROLL CRAFTS & FLAIR  
Are open Fri. nights 7:00 to 9:00 P.M.

**BAINBRIDGE TOWNSHIP ZONING**  
Board meeting Tues. May 25, 7:30 evening, Bainbridge Township Hall.  
RICK NASH—Is now taking appointments at the TEMPLE BEAUTY SALON. Call 983-6348.

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

**Houses For Sale** 8  
BY OWNER—Very large corner lot has large ranch style 2 bedrm. brick home, attached garage w/elect. door, located in Columbia city limits. Full basement, comp. finished & open. Cathedral ceiling, ipe, laminated beams w/3 in. decking. Huge crab orchard & dining area. Sliding glass doors in living rm. also in dining area. Built in bar, built in oven & range, refrig., garbage disposal, incinerator, gas heat, water softener. Fully carpeted & drapes. Shows by appointment only. Ph. 468-6439 after 6 p.m. weekdays, Sat. after 1 p.m.

2 BEDRM. RANCH—Fireplace, utility rm., attach. garage. Lot \$200. Near ice rink, 2310 Willis Dr., St. Joe.

**SMALL**—1 bedrm. home with large lot, on Edgemoor ave., \$3950. Ph. 923-1481 between 9 A.M.-5 P.M.

**HOME FOR SALE**  
St. Joseph — Close to downtown 5 bedrm. Huge living room with fireplace. New w/1y remodeled kitchen. Enormous basement & attic. 50' screened in porch. Elegance of days past. \$32,000. Call owner, Carole Howard. 317-772-0145.

**NEW 3 & 4-Bedrm. Homes** as low as \$200 down & \$30 mo. if you qualify under PHA 235 assistance program. Typical financing this program with 30 yr. loan; 360 mo. payments, 7½ annual percentage rate. Cash price \$18,300 ARIC HOMES, INC. 225-2222 days.

**BY OWNER**—3 bedrm. tri-level. 1½ baths. Large paneled family rm., built-in oven & range, garbage disposal, water softener. Thermopane patio doors. Newly decorated. 2½ car garage. Spacious yard, clean & neat. Lakeshore area. \$24,700. 2012 W. Cedar Trail, Stevensville. 429-7632.

**HOMES SOLD W/LOW DN. PMT.**  
DON BOWERS 926-8462

**BY OWNER**—2 bedrm. home, garage. Real Clean \$12,500. Must see to appreciate. By app. only 1451 Pipestone. Ph. 925-6530.

**BY OWNER**—3 bedrm., paneled living & dining room, Swedish fireplace, Cathedral ceiling. Built-in appliances include self cleaning oven, dishwasher, washer & dryer. Spacious yard. Large patio. Private beach rights. Harbor 426-3124.

**BY OWNER**—4 bedrm. 2 full baths. Lge. lot with 2 car garage. Near B.H. high school. My equity & take over payments. Ph. WA 3-8206.

**HERE IT IS POP**—That retirement home of your dreams—not too big not too small—just right—1½ acres—270' frontage—green house with shutters nestled in shade of Maple trees and White Weeping Birch—flowers and Nature's beauty all around—picturesque little red barn serves as two car garage—manor bldg., suitable for horse, pets, or hobby—TV tower—fruit trees—nice garden spot—sweet corn and beans coming up—good unpolluted air—even some grape vines for Grandpa. Phone Owner 944-5180.

**BUY FROM OWNER**—save commission costs. 3 bedrm. home on lge. lot. Alum. storm drs. & windows. Nice roomy kitchen. On school bus rt. on Covert township. \$8,500. Purchaser must be able to arrange own financing. Ph. Covert 764-8812.

**4 ROOM**—Ranch home on 11 acres, garage, located on 77nd near 28th Ave. Covert Twp. Phone 764-8884.

**BRICK**—2 bedrm. ranch style house, double garage, gas heat, permanent roof, alum. storms, lge. lot. City of Hartford. Ph. 621-4616 or 621-4363.

**UP TO 9 ACRES**  
OLD HOUSE—in beautiful setting of large trees. Small barn, garage and other out buildings. Loc. 2 mi. S. of Stevensville. In Lakeshore School district. \$17,900 with the 9 acres or you can buy with less land.

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STEVENSVILLE 429-3292

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**SECOND ST. BARODA** — Near Lutheran Church. Nice corner lot with detached garage. 3 bedrm., full basement and oil furnace heat.

**GRAU REAL ESTATE**  
Stevensville 429-3292

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

**Houses For Sale** 8  
2 BEDRM. BRICK—Fairplay N.W. Lge. wooded corner lot. Assume 6½% \$13,600. Call 925-8785 after 5 p.m.  
BY OWNER—3 bedrm., extra lge. ceramic bath, dining rm., rec. rm., kitchen w/built-ins. Fully carpeted, drapes incl. Extra lge. 1½ car garage. Well insulated, newly decorated, gas heat. Real clean. Fairplay. Ph. for app. WA 7-2314.

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**St. Joe Schools 429-9332**  
3 bedrm. ranch 1½ baths, built-in kitchen, dining rm., livg. rm. w./fire, place, full basement, newly decorated inside & out. 2 car gar.

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Large older 2 story home in gorgeous setting of variety of trees. Big barn, 4 car garage & many other buildings. All excel. cond. 14 acres with nearly 1000 ft. bordering on Hickory Creek, containing 3 or 4 valuable ravine lots. Ideal for building with ample space for gardening and pond. Loc. 8, of Stevensville. Asking \$85,000, but could be sold with less land. Shown by appointment, must see to appreciate.

**GRAU REAL ESTATE**  
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**IN JOHNSON SCHOOL DIST.**—Large 3 bedrm. home w/w carpeting, full divided basement w/finished rec. rm., fenced in back yard w/attach. garage. Call 463-5353.

**NICE 2 BEDRM.**—Home - 1½ baths, bedrooms upstairs. Remodeled kitchen, built-in elect. stove. Lge. lot. 66 x 333. Call 463-6017 or 463-6752.

**BY BUILDER**  
4 & 3 bedrm. homes. Family rm. w./fireplace, bath. Carpeted living, family & dining rm. Seeded lawn. Ready to move in. So. St. Joe. Ph. 429-9612.

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